

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Confirmation No.: 8603

SHINOZAKI

Art Unit: 2816

Serial No.: 09/385,014

Examiner: D. Le

Filed: August 27, 1999

Docket No.: 108075-09014

For: INPUT CIRCUIT HAVING CURRENT REGULATING TRANSISTOR

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Introductory Comments

Director of the U.S. PTO P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

May 3, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 2, 2004, please amend the above-titled application as follows: